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State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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September 29, 1988

Mr. Bob Shumway W.K. Enterprises 3080 Spanish Valley Drive Moab, Utah 84534

Dear Mr. Shumway:

Re: Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Dunn Mine, S/037/017, San Juan County, Utah.

Thank you for your Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, received by the Division on September 14, 1988. The application for the proposed Dunn Mine, located in the NW 1/4 of Section 14, T32S, R25E, SLBM, is complete and no additional information is required at this time.

This mine was transferred from Atlas Minerals to W.K. Enterprises in September of 1988. The mine's former number was M/037/017, which will be retired. The sight is under 5 acres.

For your reference, I have enclosed copies of our summarized rules regarding "Operation and Reclamation Practices", and the statutory penalty for failure to reclaim a minesite (attachments SMO-1 and SMO-2).

Please give special consideration to item #10 of the "Operation and Reclamation Practices" (attachment SMO-1). Stockpiling topsoil material prior to beginning your mining operation will help ensure successful revegetation efforts upon final reclamation of the minesite. If the area being mined is a solid rock outcrop, or if the land surface is very rocky, then soil stockpiling is probably not possible. However, even the first few inches of undeveloped material is worth saving to aid in later revegetation efforts, and future regulatory release from reclamation requirements.

Should you wish to expand your operation beyond the five acre limitation, please notify this office as soon as possible to discuss the necessary permitting requirements.

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Thank you for your cooperation. When in the area, a member of the Division staff will examine the site. Best wishes with your mining operation.

Sincerely,

Holland Shepherd Reclamation Soils Specialist

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